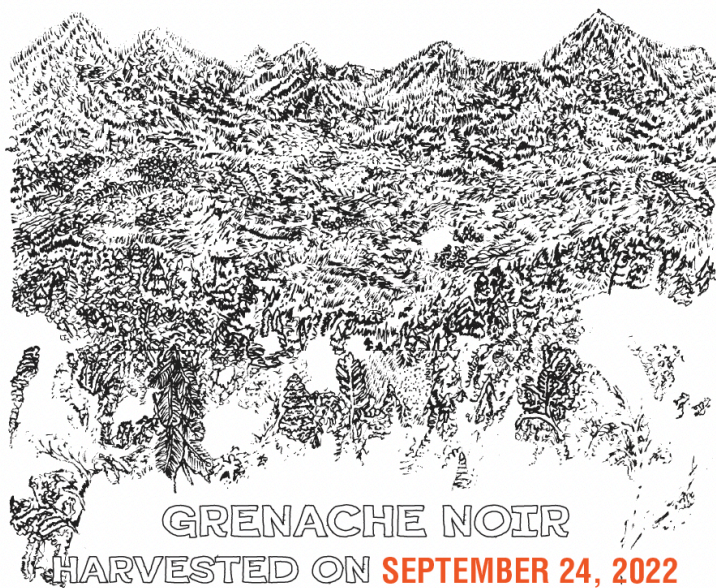


the La Ferme de la Forêt

2022 Grenache

LA **FERME** DE LA

Forêt



GRENACHE NOIR

HARVESTED ON **SEPTEMBER 24, 2022**

COLUMBIA GORGE, OREGON

Inspired by some of our favorite lighter expressions of Grenache from the Southern Rhône, the team at Forêt has produced this crunchy, whole-cluster red wine with astounding aromatics that harken back to the wines from the Old World.

The 2022 vintage follows our minuscule inaugural release of 2021 Grenache where we only produced 150 cases of wine across the winery. We were excited to work once-again with this top notch fruit from Threemile Vineyard in The Dalles, and were able to take the same hands-off approach in the cellar of whole cluster fermentation, minimal pumpovers, and bottling without fining or filtrations, highlighting the lifted and aromatic nuances of the grape.

Threemile vineyard, located on the Oregon side of the

VARIETY

100% Grenache

PLACE

The Dalles, OR

VINEYARDS

Threemile Vineyard

FERMENTATION AND AGING

MacroBin 48 fermentation
Inoculated with RB2 yeast
Pump over cap management
8.5 months in barrel

ALC%

13.8%

PRODUCTION

151 Cases

Columbia River Gorge, is still coming up to full production, but the quality of grapes highlight the pristine farming and singular terroir that this site offers.

We picked the 2022 Grenache on the earlier side on September 24th, inoculated with RB2 yeast, and aged in neutral oak barrel for 8.5 months before bottling, and we are thrilled with the result. The Grenache we have made from Threemile continues to be one of our favorite expressions of this grape from Oregon and its consistency over the two vintages has been fantastic. We love serving this wine at cellar temp with slow roasted pork shoulder tacos, flame-grilled burgers, or slow simmered Italian sugos.